

# COUNTY ATTORNEY GEX'S STATEMENT; TACONIC CASE

SAUNTERINGS  
From Where The West  
Begins.

By JOHN T. MEYERS.  
For The Sea Coast Echo.

BALBOA discovered the Pacific Ocean on September 29th in the year 1513. He was the first white man to cross the Isthmus of Panama. The Pacific was so called because it was calm and peaceful when discovered by the Spanish adventurer. Balboa's career quite contrasted the title he saw fit to give his important discovery. At the start of his voyaging, Balboa was compelled to have himself smuggled aboard ship in a casket basket labeled "victuals," in order to escape the pressing demands of his creditors. Balboa was later beheaded.

BASEBALL HOLDS the spotlight over the country. At this writing the Dixie Series is tied. New Orleans taking Sunday's game against the visiting San Antonio Missions by a close margin of 3 to 2. All games thus far have been marked by a fine display of clean sportsmanship, by the teams and spectators alike. We're proud to have an interest in both clubs.

The World's Series begins October 3rd. The Americans will take their big ball seriously. Revolutions in Cuba, movie star marriages and divorces, depression, gang wars, and other sensational news must take a back seat while the big league boys swat the horsehide sphere for home runs, as entertainment for the frenzied crowd.

If we're loyal citizens would work up as much interest and enthusiasm over the NRA program as the average fan expects during a World Series. The BLUE EAGLE could put that buzzard of depression out of commission in short order. Let's all root, cheer, and give our support toward a smashing NRA victory. It's our fight—and we must win. NRA is the "United States Recovery Series." Play Ball!

MOTORISTS traveling the highway to the south of San Antonio have encountered swarms of small butterflies fluttering from out of the dense cactus and brushland growths. They seem to be winging a southerly course across the country, probably to warmer climes. During an automobile race from Nuevo Laredo to Monterrey, Old Mexico, race drivers were compelled to stop and remove the collected butterflies from front of the radiators. The obstruction caused motors to overheat. Some residents believe the southern migration is a forerunner of colder weather.

DAN CUPID, bow and arrow expert, called upon his friend, the dolphin, to furnish real outdoor atmosphere for a society wedding, which was enacted recently amid the beautiful scenes of Brookline Park. The bride, groom, attendants, and wedding guests, were all clad in riding habit and mounted on spirited steeds, as Judge John F. Onion, also on horseback, performed the marriage ceremony. The bride and groom are both equestrian enthusiasts. Their romance blossomed as they galloped along the shadowy bridle paths of the park.

WITH an honorable record of 32 faithful years of service in Uncle Sam's rural delivery service to his credit, Charles A. Blackwood is retiring from active duty on September 30th. Mr. Blackwood's daily appearance over his route will be missed no more than words can describe. A mailman's contact with the people he serves touches the heart strings. He knows intimately their joys and sorrows. He listens to tales of woe with sympathetic understanding—vain boasts, he endures with patience. His cheerful word of greeting makes the day seem brighter for the helpless invalid confined to a wheel chair on the gallery. Many is the strayed child or pet he has returned safely to a worried housewife. Never has he refused to do a favor, even at inconvenience to himself. The mailman is our sincere, honest, and reliable friend. He holds a place in our daily lives—no other can fill.

ACTIVITIES of "jack leg" automobile travel bureaus will be somewhat curbed by a local ordinance requiring operators of travel bureaus to post bonds of \$1,000 to guarantee delivery of passengers to their agreed destination. Many tourists using this unreliable method of transportation have been left stranded in strange cities by automobile owners, who failed to live up to contracts made with travel bureaus. This bond does not insure passengers against accident.

The wise traveler uses the railroad, the safe, speedy, comfortable, and most economical form of transportation in the end.

THE editor of a small Texas town weekly sends the following exchange clipping to this column. "Well pass it on to our readers—May be they will take a gentle hint—and check up on those subscriptions that are ready about for renewal. Here goes: The editor stood at the pearly gate.

His face was worn and old; For admission to the fold. "What have you done?" St. Peter asked,

"To seek admission here?" "I ran a country printing plant. On earth for many a year." "The gate was open sharply."

As Peter touched the bell, "Come in," he said, "and take a nap."

You've had enough of—er—trouble."

ROCK-A-CHAWS TO MEET PANTHERS.

St. Stanislaus Rock-A-Chaw team will meet the St. Aloysius Panthers at Loyola stadium, Saturday night of next week, October 7, at 8 o'clock on the gridiron.

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## WAVELAND PREPARES TO HARDSURFACE STREETS WITH FEDERAL AID

Plan to Work Under Federal Emergency Relief Legislation—Maps and Blue Prints Finished—Special Election Called for October 28.

## RE-ENLIST FOR CAMP JEFF DAVIS

Present Enlistment In Re-enlistment Camp to Expire October 1.

Jefferson Davis C. C. Camp, located above Kiln, Hancock county under command of Lt. Tucker, succeeding Captain Macchette, who recently returned to Fort Banning, Ga., will close October 1 in that respect that the one hundred and seventy odd young men who are now there will be at liberty to resign and return to their respective homes. This will end the summer camp and opening of the camp for winter will immediately follow.

Civilians wishing to re-enlist for the six months may do so and already quite a number have signified their intention of so doing. This number is largely in the majority and evidences the success of the work and manner of management. The young men, according to a personal interview by a representative of The Echo, express their willingness to return and continue working for the government in the reforestation project.

Woman's Missionary Meeting and Program At Mrs. Jas. A. Evans

The Woman's Missionary Society held its regular monthly meeting on September 19, at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Evans. Mrs. Beahler, Mrs. J. W. Gray and Mrs. Evans entertaining jointly. The following program followed the usual business meeting:

Opening prayers, Mrs. Heiderman. Hymn: "Where He Leads Me I Will Follow."

Devotional: Mrs. Barnes—Mat. 5: 43-48.

Topic—Forces And Work in Japan. Mrs. Buckley.

Closing prayer, Mrs. Nelson.

At the close of the program delicious sherbet and cake was served by the hostesses.

S. J. A. Parents' Club To Hold Business Meeting Friday, October 6th.

On Friday afternoon of next week, October 6, St. Joseph's Academy Parent Club will hold its first business meeting at the Academy, at 2:30 P. M. Special business will be discussed and reports made by the committee.

This meeting will be followed by a social hour. All mothers are urged to attend.

Caron Orchestra Is Feature at Nite Club Again Saturday, 30th.

Received with such unanimous acclaim and praised in terms leaving no room for doubt of its success, Louis Carron and his famous ten-piece orchestra will play a return engagement at Uncle Charlie's Nite Club this Saturday night, September 30th. There will be no extra charge, only one dollar admission, plus charge, ladies free. Uncle Charlie wisely suggests to make reservations in advance.

NEW REGISTRATIONS AT THE BAY INN.

Mr. Greene Moore, Mr. George Deigle, New Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Johnson and sons, Harry and Walter, Forest City, Ark.; Miss Mary See, Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, Mr. Charles Alabide all of New Orleans; Mr. Robert Conway, Baton Rouge, La.

## COAST AUXILIARY IN MEETING AT BAY CITY THIS WEEK

Legion Ladies To Elect Officers and to Hear Special Program for Occasion

The Coast County Council of the American Legion Auxiliary composed of the units from Bay St. Louis to Moss Point, are in session Thursday of this week as The Echo goes to press, for an all day session. The morning program included discussions as follows: Juniors, Mrs. Andrew Federine, Jr., Gulfport; membership, Mrs. T. T. Justice, Pascagoula; Auxiliary Standard and Department Prizes, Mrs. C. S. Everts, Gulfport, ninth district president. The new official song, Mississippi Legionnaires will be sung and whistled by Mrs. A. McLaughlin, Gulfport.

At the afternoon session a first vice-president will be elected, to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation to the presidency of Mrs. C. W. Rafeld of Biloxi, on the resignation of Mrs. Laurent Dickson of Bay St. Louis. The auxiliary program for the fall and winter will be discussed that might help to solve the death of the young woman was left behind on and after Sunday, October 1.

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According to an L. & N. advertisement appearing elsewhere in the columns of The Echo, Train No. 12, out from New Orleans every day reaching here at 12:40 and returning (Bay St. Louis) at 3:48, will be discontinued on and after Sunday, October 1.

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Attempt to remove this train was

successfully opposed June 1 before the Louisiana general utilities board, in session at Baton Rouge.

Recently the railroad company made another appeal to the same executive body, and the request was granted. However, the opposing force to grant the railroad privilege to annul this train is still active and hope is expressed to continue the fight after the train is off schedule.

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## TREES.

Do you ever try to learn a lesson from the trees? asks the Houston Chronicle.

When the fall winds come they sway and bend, but they spring back when the pressure lets up. Wind and rain and chilling blasts from the north strike at the heart of their abode high above the ground.

But the leaves curl up and hang on and grow more and more beautiful.

In their last effort to withstand the elements they change color and become more and more admired for their beauty.

Finally the trees must give up their summer friends, their warm weather children, not strong enough to maintain their strength and usefulness.

Their fair weather friends, the leaves, do pretty well in trying to hang on, but there comes a time when their tenacity is broken.

The poor old trees look worn and sad, but when they are bare the broken and untruthful branches become more apparent and must be pruned.

So it is with human beings.

## MARY JANE TRAIN.

WITH the removal of the mid-day L. & N. Coast service train, known as the Mary Jane, there is complaint from many quarters. We, like many, realize the injustice of forcing a corporation operating a train or any other public enterprise in the line of utilities, at actual loss. We would not be willing to have any firm or individual to operate a branch of business that meant a loss in dollars and cents.

But since the Mary Jane, we understand is used to advantage from standpoint of service, particularly on Saturdays and is patronized, it does appear there should be a substitute service. The hope is expressed that the L. & N., in its wisdom and willingness to serve its patrons, will see its way clear to offer something else in return, even though that be only partially or rearrange its coast schedule to meet the demand.

We offer no remedy. We have none. It is not our business of running a railroad or telling others who do how to run one. But it would be well if some arrangement could make it possible to make up the loss, even in a measure, of the Mary Jane services.

## YOUR NEWSPAPER.

THE following was taken from a circular sent to retail merchants by a large wholesale house: "The value of your local newspaper to the success of your business cannot be overestimated. It's worth all the support and cooperation you can give it. For the newspaper is a mirror reflecting the life of the community in which you and your store have an important part. Your advertisement is reflection of your store in this mirror. Everybody sees it there. If it is not there, the mirror is dark where your store should be. You are there but you cannot be seen. Your store is open for business as usual, but 'out of sight, out of mind!'. To keep in step with the progress of your community; to get your share of business, you must advertise regularly. Take your newspaper publisher into your confidence; he can give you invaluable assistance. Establish an advertising budget. Plan a regular schedule for your advertisements. It's a policy that is followed by the most successful stores; it's an idea that will be profitable for you."

## CUBA TRIES AGAIN.

THE Cuban Junta has installed Dr. Ramon Grau San Martin as President of the Republic in the place of Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, who was driven from his position. The world is wondering if the new administration will pre-serve order.

In the meantime an increased number of American warships, mostly small destroyers but including a battleship and several cruisers, surround the Island, seeking to exercise some restraint upon possible lawlessness. From the south of Cuba some reports of disorder and Americans fleeing from their properties to seek protection of the warships.

The United States would certainly hate to have to intervene in Cuba for the purpose of restoring order. Yet if the Cubans do not set up a stable government which can protect lives and property of foreigners the Americans may have this distasteful duty forced upon them.

The hot weather fiend who keeps up with the thermometer during the summer will be seeing how low the mercury goes next winter.

If the country returns to normalcy a lot of people will lose their main excuse for not paying their bills.

Every one of us should make it a mental duty every year to study some new subject. Brains never develop without study.

Readers who send in contributions to our news columns should not forget to sign their names. This is required for the purpose of identification and as evidence of the correctness of the report. Names will not be published but no unsigned news article will appear in print.

## SHORT-CUT WILL REVOLUTIONIZE.

NEW Orleans Times-Picayune of Sunday published another full page of pictures and story of the Mississippi-Louisiana highway auto cut, and from this latest review of the progress of the work it is evident the project is not only well under way but nearing completion.

It is now, according to this informative article, the highway shortcut will be a matter of reality sooner than fondest dreams consistently anticipate and that as we are going to undergo an entire change in our "geography." An approximate cut of twenty-five miles each way between Bay St. Louis and New Orleans means fifty miles, and a considerable piece of present O. S. T. highway is going to be in the true sense of the term cut off.

This will save the detour now taking motorists over to Slidell, forty miles from Bay St. Louis, for if there was ever a detour, this is one that possibly we might better realize after the change of routing will be made.

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There is no reason going to Slidell to go to New Orleans. No one has ever lost anything there save many dollars that a diligent marshal or someone else with an eye to business has possibly overzealously performed in what he constitutes as his bounden duty. Slidell at one time was a place of charm, in all its native beauty and dignity of the aspect of its commercial buildings.

Today, visualize the main artery that carries the motorist through the "business section." Pig-stands, gasoline stations galore, cafes, restaurants, beer places, etc. All of these are well enough, even though unsightly due to the incongruous conception of it all, but the abomination of it, in addition to the conglomeration hereinabove referred to, is a congestion of signs of all nondescript description, if description be possible. Why the people of a community will plaster their locality in a manner Slidell folks have allowed, passeth all understanding. Ripley might find another contribution to his "Believe It or Not" cartoons.

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While not authoritatively stated, it is understood the bus line management is contemplating a cheap commutation ticket at yearly rate to be paid monthly, on the deferred payment plan, if you please. This, too, will create another revolutionary change. More frequent service above referred to, is a congestion of signs of all nondescript description, if description be possible. Why the people of a community will plaster their locality in a manner Slidell folks have allowed, passeth all understanding. Ripley might find another contribution to his "Believe It or Not" cartoons.

It is all interesting to contemplate. We shall wait and see. And the waiting is not going to be long.

## WOULD WE CALL ON THE RED CROSS?

READING about hurricanes that sweep through other sections is one thing and expecting one in your own front yard is another.

If this country is visited by a hurricane of such proportions as to make homeless hundreds of our people, with property loss that runs into huge sums, where would we turn for assistance?

The answer is, "The Red Cross."

Other peoples have turned to this great organization of relief in the past, just as we would appeal to it in the event of a catastrophe here. However, in contemplating such a course in the midst of misfortune we should realize our duty to support the work of the organization always.

This is printed because in the next few months the American Red Cross will have its annual roll call. Last year in Bay St. Louis response was not as good as it has been, and it is hoped that more memberships will be taken this year.

The proper relief of stricken people is the chief activity of the Red Cross. To be able to render this service to unfortunate people it is necessary that the work be supported by those who are more fortunate. Therefore, it is our duty to consider seriously the the Red Cross appeal when it is presented to us.

## ACCEPTED FORMULA.

IT ISN'T often that our editorial eyes scan the social columns, especially when they concern people we do not know. However, in glancing through the many pages of a Sunday edition of one of the large city papers the prominence given the announcement of six engagements arrested our attention and the similarity of the formula used in several of the articles caused a further investigation.

While the English language may have its thousands of words this particular social editor has one formula which is the favorite. "Cordial interest centers in the announcement," etc., contains the key formula, attention being called to the first three words. In the three announcements "cordial social interest." In another it was "widespread interest" and one was simply "the interest of a host of friends." In all cases, however, except one, the interest "centers" or "is centered" in the announcement of the great event to follow.

We are not criticising. Those who have never written newspaper copy may not understand how readily certain standard expressions are employed. The English language has many words but it is not so easy to word words when the same thought is being expressed.

## RESULTS—GROCERY ADVERTISING.

THE S. B. Evans Cash Grocery of Honey Grove, Texas, recently published in the Honey Grove Signal-Citizen its fifty second consecutive full page advertisement, according to that newspaper, and plans to carry this amount of space indefinitely.

The proprietor is a firm believer in advertising, using newspaper space exclusively. He opened a small grocery here five years ago, with a few hundred dollars capital, and during this period of time has never failed to carry an advertisement each week; and today he has the largest stock of merchandise and the most satisfactory grocery business in the city, despite the fact that it has been built up during the worst depression in history.

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Note: With reference to this column last week, the Russian debt to us for money loaned and goods stolen is stated as \$658,000,000. The latest report is that we are planning to forget this little sum, so that we can resume "normal relations" by calling them "vast" quantities of goods on credit. The R. F. C. is said to be doubtful about the security, which seems to be quite intelligent.

There are we suspect, in the United States, about 23 men who will be shot this fall because a fool friend, out hunting, will fire when he sees something move in the bushes.

## MERELY THEORETICAL

By GEORGE E. SCHILLING  
(For The Sea Coast Echo)

## ECONOMY.

THERE is no question that many of us, indeed most of us, have to economize nowadays. We have no choice in the matter at all. We could not be extravagant if we wished. But we no longer want to imperil the safety of the nation by spending more than is absolutely necessary, rather we wish to assure our own security by denying ourselves and others (especially others) every possible luxury except beer and whiskey. It is a perfect sham the amount of money we are spending on schools, instead of beer, as you may easily see for yourself by reading the papers. We simply cannot afford expensive schools.

This ideal of economy has been drilled into our minds from the beginning of the world, for only the economical could survive recurrent famines and continue the race. It is a tradition, an obsession. We approach economy as a virtue, and depend on it as a means of economic salvation. It is the subconscious attitude that inspires our chuckle-headed export policy. If we only avoid extravagant spending, earn more than we spend and save money we shall be able to return to the conditions of 1926, or 1924, or 1913, or whatever year we set as our ideal.

Let us try to work out in detail this theory of economy and see where it will lead us, not as a personal necessity in this break-down of an worn system, but as a national policy.

About half the income of a poor family is spent for food. If the well-to-do will only take a few less lessons from those less extravagant they will be able to reduce their expenses for this item by a very large amount. We might all adopt one-pot cookery as a regular habit, and depend on good, nourishing soups and stews, rice and beans, corn bread and mash, and such inexpensive, but wholesome dishes.

We might also avoid expensive hotels and dining places, patronizing, when necessary, lunch rooms and other cheap restaurants. At home we can avoid the expensive cuts of meat, fruits and vegetables except when they are most plentiful, other dainties of all sorts, and absolutely eliminate all imported delicacies.

If we would only adopt such measures we could easily save hundreds of millions of dollars now wasted on groceries, meat-markets, hotels and restaurants, and even some millions that now reach our farmers. Just think what wheatless days and meatless days could accomplish.

Then there are expenses for clothing and shelter that are by no means necessary. If we all buy only strong, serviceable clothes and wear them as long as they can be made to serve, patching when necessary, like our grandmothers did, we can reduce our waste enormously. For instance, we might save millions of bales of cotton in that way, as well as the work of thousands of mills, factories and merchants. By crowding up, using old buildings and old fittings we could dispense with the building and household equipment trades for a long time.

As to useless luxuries they are legion. We do not need a single new automobile in this country for at least a year, since we can easily make the old ones serve. Our auto factories might as well close for at least that time. We can dispense with more than half of our present fifteen million or so of telephones. We have radios enough already. We could cut down more than half on our expenditures for moving pictures, and we probably would, if this program were carried out.

Under such a policy, the freight and passengers moved on our railroads would be drastically reduced, thus making another saving. There would also be little use for the banks, unless it were to keep all the money we save by not spending it, for loans and expenses for interest would be practically eliminated. There would also be a tremendous saving on rents, for our economy would make our large buildings and many of the smaller ones quite unnecessary. We would also be saved from the peril of Wall Street, for there would be no need of a stock exchange or stock brokers if there were no customers for business. Bankers, brokers, and others might be colonized, along with other unemployed, on little tracts of farm land where they could raise their own garden truck and keep chickens, a pig and a cow, as has been already planned.

The sense in all this foolishness is that economy, as a large scale policy, will surely wreck our present industrial, financial and even agricultural organization. These will break down of their own tremendous weight unless they have customers. We need, not more saving, but more spending, and that involves the power of Wall Street, for there would be no need of a stock exchange or stock brokers if there were no customers for business.

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## NEWSPAPER AND BANKS THE TWO BASIC INSTITUTIONS.

There are two institutions that a community must support," says the Mississippi Sun, published at Charleston.

"One is its banks and the other is its newspapers. Without these two basic institutions no community can exist.

"Every dollar taken from the local newspaper by outsiders who contribute nothing to the community is an undermining of a vital community institution."

"And it was not until all the banks in the nation were closed by executive order, was it realized how vital they were to the community."

The newspapers of Mississippi were 100 per cent loyal to the banks, not only during the recent period that was trying on those institutions, but at all times and in all ways.

The newspapers of Mississippi are also loyal at all times to all other worthy institutions of the State, and in turn the newspapers deserve the loyal support of the people and the institutions that they help to build.—Jackson Clarion-Ledger.

## One Strand Won't Carry a Bridge . . .

THE builder who expects one slim cable to hold up a great bridge is doomed to disappointment.

The saver who expects a single deposit to support his plans for financial independence also faces failure. It takes many strands of wire, woven together, to carry the one. And a bridge across the gulf of Want needs many savings deposits, made regularly, to make it secure.

## Merchants Bank &amp; Trust Co.

## 4,000 Expected at

L. S. U. For The First Semester.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF MRS. ELBA HUFFMAN ROUSLOG, Deceased

MRS. HELEN B. MARSHALL, Administrator.

No. 3599

You will please take notice that on the 4th day of September, 1933, the undersigned, Mrs. W. H. Gates, University registrar, filed with the undersigned, Mrs. Helen B. Marshall, in the foregoing numbered and entitled cause, pending in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, a petition, constituting the undersigned, the administrator, with the will annexed, in the estate of Mrs. Elba Huffman Rouslog, deceased. You will please prosecute, collect, account, or indebtors, that you may have or own against the said estate, within a period of six (6) months from the date of said cause, and, if any, will be presented.

Enrollment at the university has practically doubled in the past two years and last session reached a total of 3,945, little less than 4,000. Within the two-year period increased registration in the graduate school has been particularly noticeable, enrollment in this division having risen from less than 100 to more than 400 for last session.

The opening day of the 1933-34 year is Wednesday, September 20th. Freshmen will register on the 21st, with upperclassmen scheduled to register on Friday and Saturday. Class work will begin on Monday morning, September 25th.

## His Only Chance.

"My wife is stubborn. I would like to see her do what I tell her just for once."

"Then pick up a heavy vase, aim at her head, and tell her to duck."

## VISIT TO FORESTRY CAMP 'JEFF DAVIS' NORTH OF KILN COMMUNITY

Character of Work Performed—Building for Future Generations by Protection—Daily Schedule—Personnel of Camp—Other Notes.

BY A VISITOR.

It is a rather difficult task, with the broiling sun bearing down on one's person to visualize romance, in the task of the reforestation workers, or to see through sweat blinded eyes, the stately pines that will some day adorn the rolling lands of South Mississippi, but, some day, the majority of these workers will be so rewarded.

Romance aplenty will be present, in the profusion of timber that will give back to Mississippi, her appearance of a decade or two ago when the virgin pines clothed her soil, and members of the Civilian Conservation Corps, who are now working as units in President Roosevelt's program for rehabilitation of the country, will point out to the children, or their children's children, the giant growths and remnant of tall and hardy forests forgotten in their pardonable pride, that they had a part in the Magnolia States bid for the restoration of its major resources.

A visit to the immense tracts of land being gone over by the C. C. C.'s, as they are locally referred to is enlightening to the nth degree. Crews under constant and highly framed forestry workers, have been for the past four months, preparing the lands of Hancock and Pearl River counties, for the planting of the budding pines of the future.

Every detail is being attended to, and although to the casual and uninitiated observer, some of the work seems rather foolish, it will play its part in the care of the embryonic forests in a few years. The country side is being scoured thoroughly and every growth that might prove a hardship to the baby pine trees, is being destroyed. Roads are being built, bridges are being constructed, and sections that have the natural advantage of possible standing water, to make way for more trees.

Roads, not haphazard pig war trails, winding through the cut over trunks, but straight paths to every section of the tracts, are being constructed. True, the roads are not to be hard-surfaced, even the veteran foresters of Uncle Sam's service do not expect that, but they will be leveled and prepared in such manner that the foresters of the future, may get over the land in their speeding trucks, and fight threatening blazes, that might destroy the tender growing pines.

To the regret of the writer, it was an impossibility to get first hand knowledge of more than one crew's working, but a half day spent with the person detail, part of the time "hooching" it through heavy grass, ankle high, gives an idea of the detail of their work.

The crew worked in a spread 300 feet wide, and half a mile long. In two they spread over the strip, hatchet man and poisoner. The hatchet wicks notched or cut down growths while his partner administered the dose of poison. Growths too large to be cut down, are notched around and the poison is poured about in the circle, while those of smaller diameter, are cut down about two feet from the ground and the stump is poisoned, to prevent its flourishing later.

Care is kept that the poisoning crew works methodically, and does not wander over into new, or away from old territory. A surveyor and assistant, both members of the C. C. C. saw to this task. One armed with small compass and makeshift tripod they sighted the lines to be followed, pacing off the distances and keeping tally on a notched stick. So accurate are their work that the paid often emerge at the end of the strip, only a pace from their objective, sometimes a mile or two from their starting point. The compass man, sights a distance tree or stump makes for it on a direct line, swerving only when obstructions are reached that cannot be surmounted. The assistant, blazes the line with an axe, in order that the poison detail might follow in their wake.

None of the tasks at which the C. C. C. details turn their hands, are very difficult from the labor angle and the hours they must toil, are limited to those spent away from the camp. Time utilized in transporting the men to and from camp is charged up to the job at hand and when crews are working close enough to camp to eat in the mess hall, time spent in riding back and forth, comes out of their total number of hours at work and they are afforded a full hour or lunch.

Crews working at distant points are given warm lunches, transported to them in "Mormite" vacuum cans, or containers similar to vacuum bottles, and two or more crews meet at a point previously selected and line up or the mess call.

Many different denominations and creeds are represented in the camp. Those of the Protestant faiths, enjoy religious services in camp each Sunday, while those of the Catholic faith are transported to Bay St. Louis, where they attend church each Sunday evening.

The mess hall is far the most important object in camp, not only that in it the inner man is satisfied, but also that it houses the canteen, and recreation hall, also the post office where the men themselves at the end of the day to receive letters from the "home folks."

In the canteen, wholesale tasteful

## WAVELAND NEWS-NOTES

V. E. WEBER BOX 134  
Waveland, Miss.

THE P. T. A. have postponed their regular monthly meeting from October 4th to October 11th on account of officers attending the State Convention at Hattiesburg, Miss.

Mr. C. B. Mollere is now remodeling his store front, and making extensive repairs. When completed, this store will outrank any place on the Coast. Plate glass entrance, etc.

Fires recently destroyed the home of Mr. Tony Saldino in upper Waveland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Herlihy have returned from Chicago, after spending some time visiting the Century of Progress fair. Both say it was a treat of a lifetime. While in Chicago they motored to Milwaukee, and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Loudon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keen and family will reside in New Orleans for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Deitrich were glad to welcome their daughter, Mrs. J. N. Collins and friends home, from Century of Progress Fair.

Capt. and Mrs. C. M. Burgdahl and Commander E. J. Scott and wife with Miss Villerena motored to Ramsey Springs during the week and enjoyed a delightful basket picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wrist are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Folter.

Capt. and Mrs. Theo Ray were here for the week end.

Capt. and Mrs. E. A. Svendson and family, Mrs. E. Barkmeyer and Mr. Fred Hellbach spent the week end with their parents.

Mrs. Frank Bender and granddaughter spent the week end with Mrs. E. N. Hellbach.

Mrs. W. A. Mapp and Mrs. Westley Ahrens will attend the State P-T. A. convention at Hattiesburg, October 4, 5, and 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ahrens spent a few days in New Orleans, business and pleasure combined.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fauquier of New Orleans were weekend guests of Hon. and Mrs. W. A. Mapp.

## CLERMONT HARBOR

Miss Annie Zeller has been a visitor at the home of Mrs. R. Dannenberger. Miss Zeller stopped over on her way home from North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harris and children spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Schwartz. Miss Kit Schwartz returned home with them after spending some weeks at the Schwartz home.

Miss Annett Nobles of New Orleans, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hebert spent several days at their home in Clermont.

Mrs. M. Brown has returned to her home in Mandeville, La., after a pleasant visit with Mrs. J. McNeely. Mrs. McNeely returned home with Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Molony, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Chalona and daughter, Joy, have been spending some time at their home on the beach.

Miss Florance Dolhonde is visiting in New Orleans.

No Biologist Either  
"om is horrid. When we were out tonight a little bug flew into my mouth, and I asked him what that was a sign of."  
"What did he say it meant?"  
"That I should keep my mouth shut."

Friend in Need.  
Fair Motorist (giving lift to stranger)—I'm very glad of your company as this is the first time I have driven, and I'm horribly nervous. Somebody to talk to will keep my mind off the driving.

paring the food. Assistant cooks are Tim Welch, Ellisville and Horace Weston, Hattiesburg; Purvis Graham, Laurel, and Willie Conn, of Ellisville are in charge of kitchen police.

William E. Ratcliff, of Laurel, is company clerk; Robert Wells, canteen steward, and Billy Wells, is officers orderly.

Members of the Motor Transport corps are James R. Scott, Laurel and Fred Elizay, Soso, in charge; William C. Hearn and Harold Welborn, Laurel; Paul Patrick and Lambert Murphy, Hattiesburg.

## CENTRAL SCHOOL P-T. A. SPECIAL MEETING HELD FOR ACTIVE PROGRAM

Preparatory Meet for Membership Drive—Election of Grade Mothers.

A special meeting of the Bay Central P. T. A. was called during the past week by Mrs. Harry da Ponte, membership chairman, to organize the committee for the association's membership drive.

The grade mothers for the year were also appointed.

Plans for the P. T. A. parade which has been postponed until October 17 were also discussed.

Owing to the late date for the parade the drive for membership will start immediately instead of after the parade, as formerly announced.

The dues for the year are fifty cents or active members and one dollar or associate members.

The committee appointed for the membership drive is as follows: Mrs. J. B. Goldman, Mrs. W. S. Speer, Mrs. J. Olsen, Mrs. Clarence Weeks, Mrs. Albert Biehl, Mrs. James McConnell, Mrs. Theodore Robin, Mrs. Harry Sneed, Mrs. Horace Kergosien, and Mrs. Harry da Ponte, chairman.

The grade mothers are:

First grade—Mrs. Theodore Robin, Second grade—Mrs. Eugene Davis, Third grade—Mrs. Clarence Weeks, Fourth grade—Mrs. W. S. Speer, Fifth grade—Mrs. Horace Kergosien, Sixth grade—Mrs. J. Olsen.

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE.

I, George R. Rea, Trustee, under the provision of and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in Deed of Trust made by R. L. Simpson on the 10th, day of November 1925. To E. J. Gex, with a certain indebtedness to the said E. J. Gex, and evidenced by said Trust Deed hereinafter mentioned in the note mentioned in the said instrument for valuable consideration and the securities therein mentioned were assigned by the E. J. Gex to W. A. Cuevas and B. P. Harrison on the 28th, day of January 1931, and which assignment appears on the mortgage of Record, and which said Trust Deed is recorded in Book C-0, page 1917 and recorded in Book C-0, page 271 of the Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi.

I will all time and attention was devoted to the election of officers for the coming year. After voting by secret ballot the following ladies were elected.

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Rev. Fr. Leech of Pass Christian gave the opening prayer. All business matters were set aside except reading of minutes and correspondence by the secretary-pro. tem. Miss Jane Lang.

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## REGULAR MONTHLY MEET CO. BOARD SUPERVISORS.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

Be it remembered, that a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors in and for the County and State aforesaid was begun and held at the Courthouse thereof in the City of Bay St. Louis on Monday, September 4th, A. D. 1933, at 9 o'clock A. M., same being the first Monday of September, and the time and place for the holding of said meeting.

There were present, to-wit: Emilio Cue, President of the Board; Chas. B. Murphy, Calvin Shaw, John B. Wheat, and Lander H. Necessaire, members; A. G. Favre, Clerk of the Board; and T. E. Kellar, Sheriff of said county.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of Interest Fund, T. S. R. 14 W., as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Stanley Saucier, Repairs to School buildings 10.00

Cameron Favre, School repairs 3.00

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Interest Fund, T. S. R. 14 W., as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Charlie L. Lee, School Repairs 33.25

L. C. Lee, Hauling Wood 14.00

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Interest Fund, T. S. R. 14 W., as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Robert E. Lee, School supplies 6.56

R. Lee, School Repairs 7.50

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Elliott Casanova, labor 79.00

Jessie Dawsey, labor 79.00

Michel Necessaire, Equipment 25.00

The Bay Merc. Co., Supplies 1.63

Bay Merc. Co., Supplies .75

Bay Merc. Co., Supplies 1.12

J. Lee, labor 36.00

Dan Favre, labor 8.00

D. Ladner, labor 27.00

Albert Favre, labor 15.00

Alfred Toome Favre, labor 15.00

G. T. Brown, labor 27.00

Wilton Wheat, labor 18.00

Archie Wheat, labor 12.00

J. V. Slade, labor 24.00

J. J. Lee, labor 87.00

Ira Wheat, labor 15.00

Oliver C. Cuevas, labor 15.00

W. A. Mitchell, labor 10.00

Michel Necessaire, salary 150.00

L. W. Mitchell, labor 187.50

Horace Necessaire, labor 15.00

A. Harrel, labor 183.25

A. Harrel, labor 355.00

A. Harrel, lumber 72.80

Sam Carver, Sea Wall main- tenance 95.10

Charles Mitchell, labor 12.00

Arceaneaux Super Service, Re- pairs to equipment 101.88

Arceaneaux Super Service Repairs to equipment 66.20

Roemer's Service Station Gas and oil 57.50

Roemer's Service Station Gas and oil 61.29

Roemer's Service Station Gas and oil 17.64

Dunn Osborne, Labor on bridge 105.33

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the School Fund as per bill on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

A. S. McQueen, Supt. of Edu- cation 105.33

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

R. H. Bryson, County Agent 125.00

E. J. Gex, County Attorney 150.00

W. H. McDaniel, Janitor 81.00

Fred Choina, Convict guard 69.00

Clarence Carrio, Convict guard 69.00

Burroughs Adding Machine Co., Welfare Office exp. 1.00

L. B. Capdepon, State vs. Thomas 3.30

Will Hobbs, State vs. Thomas 3.40

W. H. McDaniel, Laundry 2.00

R. H. Bryson, office supplies 3.15

Mrs. John Rutherford, Keeper poorhouse 84.60

Edward Heitzman, Buildings & grounds 2.00

C. M. Chipp, County Health Officer 250.00

J. L. Summers, Material for dip vats 3.57

The Sea Coast Echo, Office supplies 84.60

Egloff's Home Grocery, Prisoner's supplies 14.53

Bay Plumbing Co., Repairs to jail 3.00

Bay Merc. Co., Prisoners supplies 13.78

Bay Merc. Co., Buildings and grounds 10.15

Bay Merc. Co., Poorhouse buildings 28.51

Beach Drug Store, Prisoners supplies 9.88

Edward Heitzman, Welfare office expenses 6.90

A. G. Favre, Ex parte Wm. Franklin, Jr., N. C. M. 9.30

T. E. Kellar, Ex parte Wm. Franklin, Jr., N. C. M. 7.70

A. R. Hart, Juror 1.00

A. E. Joyner, Juror 1.00

Frank Quintin, Juror 1.00

H. E. Lott, Juror 1.00

W. A. Martin, Juror 1.00

Happy Hollow Press, legal blanks 3.50

Octave Favre, Bulletin Boards 4.00

L. P. Weston, State vs. Martin et al. 7.80

C. C. Kellar, State vs. Martin 19.90

Jas. D. Smith, Juror 1.00

Joe Carver, Juror 1.00

Len Dawson, Juror 1.00

Forest Moran, Juror 1.00

Ass. Moran, Juror 1.00

Burdie Dean, Juror 1.00

Glen Fiderson, Tick Erad. 13.00

Roy Thigpen, Tick Erad. 15.00

Andrew Lott, Welfare office supplies 1.00

Southern Stationery Co., office supplies 10.71

R. H. Bryson, Postage 88

Devore's Court Stenographer's Stationery 7.91

Lederle Laboratories, County Health Supplies 10.00

Martin Sanatorium, Hospitaliza- tion 10.00

## WORK AND PLAY AT S. J. A.

Once again S. J. A. Opened her doors on Sept. 10 to welcome her old pupils, as well as new ones. Contrary to rumors, every class has reported a gratifying increase in enrollment. From all outward appearances, 1933-1934 promises to be a most happy and successful year.

Although we've been having some hot days, the girls are anxious to accomplish a great deal this year, that little heed is paid to that discomfort. From the smallest Freshie (and there are some real small ones) to the most dignified Senior (well we're trying our best to live up to that reputation) there is no one shirking her task, each one being fully determined to do her best for herself, her parents, and her school.

The joy of returning to dear S. J. A. was somewhat lessened this year at the thought that dear Mother Claire would not be there to extend a hearty welcome. Sr. L. Raphael's absence was also greatly felt by all. But as such changes are inevitable the students are making the best of it. Though the new Superior, Mother Evelyn, has been in their midst but a short time, yet she has already won a place in the hearts of the girls.

### Mass of The Holy Ghost.

Wednesday morning Sept. 13, 6:30 A. M., the students of the three Catholic schools of the parish attended a special mass in honor of the Holy Ghost. According to the traditional custom, the pupils of these schools meet at the beginning of each session to beg the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit upon their work.

A large number of girls and boys were present, and many received Holy Communion. S. J. A. High School was 100 per cent strong. The hymns which were sung during the Mass by the pupils of S. J. A., added much to the impressiveness of the ceremony. Immediately after mass, Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament was given.

### Organize Parents' Club

The Parents Teachers' Association held their first meeting Friday, afternoon, Sept. 15, St. Joseph's Academy Very Reverend A. J. Gmelch, the pastor, was present.

Of primary importance at this meeting was the question of retaining the club as the Parent Teachers' Association, or of reorganizing simply as Parents' Club. After much discussion, pro and con, the final decision was put to a vote. The result was greatly in favor of a Parents' Club.

It was also decided that there should be grade mothers for all grades, not only for the first six grades as formerly, but as well for all the twelve grades.

As most of the parents thought a Friday afternoon more convenient than Thursday, the club will hereafter meet on the first Friday of each month.

A large number of mothers were present and all showed great enthusiasm. From all outward appearance the Parents' Club intends to do much during the coming year for S. J. A.

ent as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Saturday morning September 16th, A. D. 1933, at 9 o'clock A. M.

### EMILIO CUE, President

Tuesday morning, September 5th, A. D. 1933, at 9 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Wednesday morning, September 6th, A. D. 1933, at 9 o'clock A. M.

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**County Attorney Gex Gives Statement To The Echo On Moore-Taconi Case**

(Continued from page 1)

Irene Moore Taconi was found and the nature of the wounds found on her body, and giving you my deductions therefrom from a medical standpoint.

"From the deductions made by me from a medical standpoint my opinion is judging from these wounds, etc., that the wounds and the condition of the body showed no signs of a case of murder. These deductions are made solely from the wounds on the body."

"The wound on top of the head covered 2-3 of the center of top of skull, just a bit anteriorly located. The right arm was fractured above and below the elbow joint. There were a bit more bruise burns on anterior surface of the right shoulder and upper part of right arm. The skull was caved in on the right side of head, and there was a bruise or discolored spot over the anterior right hip bone. The girl being right handed is conclusive evidence that there was slightly more weight on the right side than on the left."

"The wound on top of the skull was a large flat or scrub wound from just inside of her hair line in front 2-3 of the way back toward the back of the head, taking in center 2-3 of skull. This wound had the appearance of a bruise or scrub wound, being of the same consistency all over and the same depth and appearance around the edges as in the center except a small incision 1-2 or 3-4 inch long located inside the hair line above forehead. With this exception there was not a break in the scalp and at no place was cut through to the bone. The depth of the wound was not more than through the true skin, and only deep enough for the oozing of serum from the blood, hemorrhage coming from the small cut. There was no one point of this wound to show a lick by any kind of weapon unless one would claim the small cut due to a lick."

"The skull caved in on a line along the side of the head above the right ear, parallel to the right eye. The skin which covered this caved in portion of skull was not irritated, nor discolored, as it would have been if it was crushed by weapon of any kind."

"The nature of these wounds indicate that probably she stood on the straight downward to the sand about thirty feet below and before striking sank her hand extended above head."

"It is evident that there was a great deal of struggle before she was checked by the first part of the body striking the sand. The weight or force was due to the momentum of the body in its downward fall. Naturally and unconsciously the hands or her arm extended for protection, and in a right handed person the right hand or arm more so than the left, so that hand or arm struck the sand first and the head hit closely between arms as a diver strikes the water and with all of the gathered force gained by the fall, and there was no checking of the speed by the hand or arm striking the sand. The arm had to bend back, and in my opinion the head caught in the bend of the right elbow, the head against the elbow and the elbow against the head, the leverage of the arm crushing in the skull. The firmness of the skull caused the right arm above and below the elbow to be fractured. The left wrist was sprained, and no doubt would have been fractured if the head had come in contact with it against the sand. The right arm naturally came down in a line parallel to the left. The result was the bruise on anterior surface of right hip bone. Right shoulder evidently was buried a little deeper in the sand as evidenced by an additional amount of bruise burns on anterior surface of right shoulder and right arm also. There were slight bruise burns on the point of the ribs just below and to the right of the breast bone with none on the left rib on the left side of the breast bone."

"I made a thorough and complete examination of the body and there was no further injury of any kind other than a few scratches of no importance, and please remember there was not a sign of bruise or scratch on posterior part of body. The nature of the wounds on top of skull appear, as coming in contact with some object, and the appearance of some object struck by the head, and as a medical proposition there is a difference in the nature of a wound when an object is wielded by a person and when the head strikes something."

With these reports or facts before

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Shivering with chills one moment and burning with fever the next—that's one of the effects of Malaria. Unless checked, the disease will do serious harm to your health. Malaria, a blood infection, calls for two things. First, destroying the infection in the blood. Second, building up the blood to overcome the effects of the disease and to fortify against future attacks.

Grove's Tasteless Chills Tonic supplies both these effects. It contains tasteless quinine, which kills the infection in the blood, and iron, which enriches and builds up the blood. Chills and fever soon stop and you are restored to health and comfort. For half a century, Grove's Tasteless Chills Tonic has been sure relief for Malaria. It is just as useful, too, as a general tonic for old and young. Pleasant to take and absolutely harmless. Safe to give children. Get a bottle at any store.

me having convinced myself that it was possible for the young lady to have fallen off the bridge, I endeavored to thrash out the truth of one of these theories. I found undisputed that Irene Moore Taconi was seen by her husband at 10:40 P. M. Thursday. Her movements from that hour to the following morning both were awful, important. An investigation from the neighbors was to the effect that no noise or sound was heard from the Moore house during that night. No one seemed to have seen her away from her residence after 10:00 o'clock with one exception. John January contended that she was seen by him at 20 minutes to 5. This testimony was exceedingly important. We checked up his statement from every angle imaginable and to use the words of Amos and Andy, it was "checked and double checked."

The next development in the case was to the effect that a note had been found by the Marshall boy that purported to have been written by the young lady whose death we were investigating. After considerable trouble the notes were procured. The report that we had received was that only one note was found. To our surprise two were produced. The note purporting to have been signed by Mrs. Taconi who used her nickname "Jit." In my opinion these notes would go far toward solving our problem. Before anyone here was permitted to see these notes other than the sheriff's office I rang up an attorney at New Orleans who gave it as his opinion that Professor Spencer was the best handwriting expert in the city of New Orleans. The sheriff's office produced for me numerous letters that were unduly written by Mrs. Taconi. Armed with these notes I proceeded to Professor Spencer and gave him the notes and the letters and asked him for his opinion as to whether or not these notes were written by Mrs. Taconi. His reply speaks for itself:

Mr. Emile J. Gex,  
Bay St. Louis, Miss.  
Dear Sir:

I have made a careful and critical study of the several handwritings submitted to me. I find a perfect naturalness in all of the writings, although some of the writings differ materially from some of the other specimens. The characters and movements are practically the same as those found in the two notes.

You will find that the capital "I's" and "D's" and "Y's" have a sameness and an individuality that no other individual in the world possesses.

L. D. SPENCER

When this report was received by me I proceeded then to check up whether or not those folks who knew her handwriting here would identify it as that of being Mrs. Taconi. The first person I called in was Nelson Taconi, the husband of the young lady and in the presence of Sheriff Kellar he positively identified the notes and gave it as his opinion that it was written by Mrs. Taconi. We next sent the notes to Professor Ingram by Sheriff Kellar, and he was advised by Sheriff Kellar that before Professor Ingram would give it as his opinion that it was handwriting, even though he knew it, he compared two notes with letters in his possession written by her and gave it as his opinion that the notes were unquestionably written by Irene Moore Taconi. I next sent for Milton Phillips, a professor at the public school and asked him as to whether or not he knew the young lady's handwriting and being answered in the affirmative I showed him the notes and he gave it as his opinion that it was her handwriting and further said that the phraseology and wording were that as used by Irene Moore Taconi. You will notice that these notes were not shown to local people until I had received the opinion of an expert. This was done purposefully as I did not want to be influenced by the local folks until an expert had passed on the matter.

The next important event to develop was that word reached me that one of the brothers at St. Stanislaus College knew some facts pertaining to this case. I called to see the brother in question who was the Vice-President of St. Stanislaus College and is now Vice-President of Catholic High of Baton Rouge. This gentleman, a highly honorable man, and naturally at first came to figure in the case, learning that he would be questioned by reporters. But upon a promise being given by me that his name would not be used and I pledged myself that whatever he knew would be kept a secret, this gentleman agreed to tell me what he knew. He at first paid little significance to his testimony as he was of the opinion that the young lady in the black bathing suit was on the bridge ready to jump and was likely going for a swim, but I called his attention to the fact that it was a little unusual for people to jump off the bridge and as a matter of fact, that it was a thing that never was done. He next asserted that the young lady he seen was much further out than where her body was found on sand. Knowing the road as I did and the angle of the bridge, I figured that this might have caused the brother to be a little mistaken as to where he

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Messrs. Ladner have many patrons. They have fifty-five skiffs for use by the public, and several motor boats. Parties in fishing skiffs are towed out to the reefs nearby and either on signal of flag or by time limit, the fishermen are returned by the power boat originally carrying the skiff out.

The large number of skiffs, vary in size and may be rented, along with bait and tackle. The most complete and efficient service is rendered, both day and night and it is no wonder the camp and its business has been so well built.

Strangers and others who come here on a visit find the camp and its paraphernalia just the thing for a few days' fishing. Saving the necessity of worrying about what to bring and how to carry it along. Ladner Bros. save all this trouble and worry. And their charges are astonishingly low.

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Messina, according to Long, attempted to telephone the Fire Department, but the phone was "dead." Long charged his enemies had cut

**WITH THE MOVIES  
AND FILM FOLKS**

(For the Sea Coast Echo)

Joseph von Sternberg will direct Marlene Dietrich's next Paramount picture, "Her Regiment of Lovers," in which Miss Dietrich will play the Catherine the Great of Russia.

"The Sun Also Rises," intended by RKO for Ann Harding, has been vetoed by the Hays office.

Frederic March, it is reported, has signed a contract with MGM at the reputed salary of \$4,000 per week. March was formerly with Paramount.

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**Made Bad Worse**

Motorist—Why should I pay for the wretched thing? It was already dead in the road when I ran over it.

Owner (holding up the remains):

Maybe it was, but you're quite ruined if it's a roasting fowl.—Cape Argus.

**A Rising Temperature**

Things were rather strained between the two sweethearts.

"But, George, darling," she said. "I do love you still. You can not imagine how warm my love for you is."

George groaned inwardly.

"Oh, but I do all right," he retorted. "I've always noticed how my money burns when I'm near you."

I might add that the Grand Jury questioned over 60 witnesses in this matter and took over 4 days endeavoring to set the facts. I am advised by the District Attorney that every witness that the Grand Jury called was permitted to discuss the matter fully from every angle. No witness was cut short and no witness that either knew or was reported as knowing anything was overlooked and after a thorough investigation of all of these witnesses and circumstances, a Grand Jury of 16 men who stand well in this community and in your county made a unanimous report concerning the death of this young lady reading as follows:

"We have spent more than four days of our time examining into the cause of the death of Mrs. Irene Moore Taconi, which occurred June 30th, this year, and we have heard the testimony of every available witness and before the probable cause of death, but find that said parties are based largely upon opinion honestly formed from false or erroneous information.

"Some witnesses have stated that they fixed opinions as to the cause of the death of this young woman; that said opinions have been formed from what they have heard on the streets and read in the newspapers; that no matter what may hereafter develop or what this grand jury should decide or report, their opinions would not be changed. We, therefore, refrain from reporting our opinion as to the cause of her death but under the circumstances we feel it our duty to say that no witness appearing before the Grand Jury has testified to any fact or circumstance that indicates or to any extent substantiates the theory that Mrs. Taconi was murdered, but, on the other hand, many witnesses have testified to many facts and circumstances within their knowledge which clearly show that she was not murdered and that her death was not caused by violence at the hands of another person or other persons; and as to the case, this is our unanimous report."

I regret very much to have taken so much of your valuable time and space in your paper if you see fit to publish this letter but in fairness to myself I believe I owe the public the duty of explaining to them what I have done in the matter so that they may judge for themselves with the facts before them whether or not I honestly did all within my power to solve the death of this young woman. I realized that those people who are strong on theories will not accept the finding of this Grand Jury, but fortunately for our civilization our laws are so made that we are governed by laws and people cannot be convicted with theories and not facts, and the facts as given by the Grand Jury I believe show conclusively that there was no theory presented before the Grand Jury that would show that this young lady met her death at the hands of any person or persons.

Once more thanking you for your fairness in dealing with this case, I beg to remain,

Your friend,

R. J. GEX.

**BARBARA STANWYCK  
AS GIRL BANDIT IN  
LATEST WARNER FILM**

(For the Sea Coast Echo)

Barbara Stanwyck, in a new type of role and with a new leading man, will make her appearance on the screen at the A. & G. Theatre on Sunday and Monday, in her latest Warner Brothers picture, "Ladies They Talk About."

As a dashing and attractive bandit, cool, worldly wise and hard boiled, who matches her wits against police and prosecutor, Miss Stanwyck interprets a role far removed from her recent characterizations.

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# Notice To The Public

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We are asking everyone to cooperate with the City in this matter, as it is very inconvenient, and expensive for the City Trucks to have to go into yards to collect GARBAGE or other DEBRIS.

Please be governed accordingly.

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The Kingfish, touse-headed and clad in bright-striped pajamas, stormed from his residence, shouting:

"It's my enemies. They're trying to murder me and my family in our beds."

Mrs. Long, the children and servants fled to safety with the Senator.

# Mollere's Groceteria

151 Coleman Avenue  
Waveland, Miss.

## SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY

JUST a few of the many specials which we are offering for this week-end are shown in this ad. It will pay you to come in and do your shopping here.

LAMB SHOULDER MEAT	Tender Plate	Tender Pot
lb.—8c	lb.—4c	lb.—6c

Freshly cut from young tender Beef.

Smoked BACON	Nice Shoulder
lb.—12c	STEAK
Sliced BACON	Lb.—10c
2 lbs.—25c	ALL MEAT IN OUR MARKET IS GOVERNMENT INSPECTED

SWEET POTATOES 10 lbs 15c

IRISH POTATOES 10 lbs. 22c

MAGNOLIA MILK, can 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ c

Borden's or Libby's  
MILK Tall can, 5c

BUTTER Brookfield, 2 lbs. 41c

SALT AVERY, pkg. 3c

GREEN COFFEE pound 10c

PLAGNOL OIL large size 73c

"U-BAK-A" FLOUR  $\frac{1}{2}$  barrel, \$3.75

Large, Sweet,  
MUSCAT GRAPES 2 lbs. 15c

**Feed! Feed!**  
DAIRY FEED Ballard's 24% \$1.70  
WHITE OATS 5 bushels \$2.80  
COTTON SEED MEAL 8% \$1.20  
COTTON SEED HULLS 55c

IF IT COMES FROM MOLLERE'S GROCETERIA  
IT IS THE BEST.

—Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Piazza and family will leave Saturday returning to Chicago, where they formerly resided and Mr. Piazza will resume his position with the Globe Indemnity Company, as appraiser, a position he held quite a while. He returns at the request of his company.

—Misses May Osbourne, Fahey Smith and Elsa Mauffray have returned from their visit to Chicago and the Century of Progress Exposition, reporting an unusually interesting time. Miss Mauffray, of the group, came home later, visiting adjacent places to Chicago. The trio are unanimous in their expression of commendation for the expo.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fortune Jaubert after spending the summer on Waveland beach, recently left by motor for New York City, accompanied by a young daughter and their son, Fortune. Cards received from the party tell of their delightful trip and of reaching New York, where they are combining pleasure with business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Briede returned to New Orleans Tuesday morning for the winter and have closed their attractive home in Coleman avenue, however, they plan to visit for week-ends during the winter season. They had as their guests from time to time during the summer Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry, and their son, W. J. Jr. The Briede home and gardens, particularly the latter, attracted much interest and admiration for the beauty of the grounds, special spot light illumination and figures and things that added to the general landscape. Mr. Briede is a booster for the Gulf Coast and Bay-Wayland in particular.

—Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Benvenuti of Cedar Point announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine, to Mr. Joseph Carsanze, native of Bay St. Louis but a resident of Biloxi for a number of years. The happy event to mark the lives of this happy young bridal couple-elect will take place in Bay St. Louis November 9.

—Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith left Tuesday morning with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Clark, the latter of Gulfport, on an auto tour of parts of Florida, combining business with pleasure. They especially visited at Panama City and registered at a well-known resort hotel. They plan to be back before the end of the present week.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Casanas, who have spent a most delightful summer at the beach villa purchased last season's end, will remain over until the late fall, enjoying the particular beauty of the Coast strand at this season. Mrs. Donald McDonald and young daughter, who have been spending the season with Mrs. McDonald's parents, returned to New Orleans during the week.

—Former Mayor and Mrs. Charles Traub, Sr., returned from New Orleans Tuesday night, in which city they have been at the bedside of son, Charles Jr., a patient at Baptist Hospital following an illness of pneumonia and desperately ill. However, the young man, accompanied by wife and baby and parents as well, plans to be able to move to his By St. Louis home Saturday, his condition showing such marked improvement. Mr. Traub, Jr., is a valued attaché of the Hancock County Bank.

## ANNOUNCING GRAND OPENING OF THE REGAL CAFE

Friday, September 29  
Levine Bldg., R. R. Ave.  
BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

Oysters Served On Half Shell — "Only the Best"  
A FREE SANDWICH WITH EVERY DRINK  
ON OPENING DATE.

### COLD DRINKS

... and ...

### SANDWICHES

### CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our appreciation and heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness, sympathy and assistance at the time of the death of our beloved daughter, Margaret Irene.

ALBERT W. AND  
IRENE PHILLIPS MOORE.

## The Sea Coast Echo

### City Echoes

—Mr. Martin, father of Mrs. O. T. Arnold was suddenly taken ill while out a few days ago and by careful and tender ministration, is showing marked improvement. Mr. and Mrs. Martin reside in Union street.

—R. G. Shelp, general southern representative of F. Webster Company, stationers, Chicago, was a business visitor to Bay St. Louis a few days since and reports business in the ascendency.

—Miss Marie Louise Renaud was a week-end visitor to New Orleans where she attended the wedding of her brother Gordon Burr Renaud to Miss Mary Eloise Bennett which was quietly solemnized Monday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norwood N. Hingle and two attractive children and Mrs. Jarret of New Orleans motored over Sunday for the Sunday visiting friends at Bay St. Louis and returning home that same evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kidd and sons left on Friday morning of last week for a point near Greenville, South Carolina, where they are visiting a daughter and her family. They motored and report a pleasant trip, ending by way of Florida.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weeks accompanied by their twin daughter and son, recently arrived from Chicago and are settled in the dwelling recently purchased from Winfield Partridge and will reside here in future.

—Mrs. Roberta Case left Monday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., making the trip by way of New Orleans overland. Mrs. Case will in future make her home in the Golden State, where she formerly resided and has relatives.

—Mrs. Rose Kuttner of Shreveport, La., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Gaspard and nieces, Mrs. Charles Zerr and Miss G. Ames. This attractive and interesting visitor is the house guest of Mrs. Gaspard and Miss Ames.

—Mrs. Julian M. Swoop and attractive young daughter, Miss Isabel Swoop, accompanied by Mrs. Swoop's sister, Miss Timony, returned to New Orleans during the week. They had as their house guests for the greater part of the season ended Mr. and Mrs. George W. Nott, Jr.

—Mrs. Albert S. McQueen, who has been visiting the Century of Progress exposition at Chicago, with a party of relatives, is expected home this week-end and from letters it is learned the party is enjoying every moment of their visit, the exposition in particular.

—Mrs. M. Coogan, her daughter, and Mrs. Amelia Egloff, will leave within the next few days for the Century of Progress exposition at Chicago and plan to remain a week. Mrs. Coogan, recently returned from a trip to Los Angeles, at which place she represented the Spanish-American Auxiliary of New Orleans.

—Mr. G. Y. Blaize, son of Mayor and Mrs. Blaize, left Sunday morning over the L. & N. R. R. route for Chicago where he will visit friends for an indefinite period and incidentally view the exposition. Young Blaize attended Loyola University at Chicago and is no stranger in the big city.

—Mr. Arch Persons, Jr., vice president Spencer Business College, at New Orleans, and in charge of advertising and public relations, was a business visitor to Bay St. Louis Monday. A former resident of Gulfport, he is no stranger on the Coast and was again greeting former friends and acquaintances.

—Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Benvenuti recently acquired the seventh daughter to their interesting family of nine children, and on Sunday Betty Yvonne was christened, Rev. Leo F. Fahey performing the ceremony, with Mr. Henry Capedon and Mrs. George Schindeldecker sponsors. An informal and quiet celebration at the Benvenuti home followed.

—Bay St. Louis Rotary Club held an interesting and well-attended meeting Wednesday evening at the Answer. Prof. S. J. Ingram, superintendent city schools, was the program speaker. Mr. Norton Haas, recently elected, assumed his active membership at this meeting. Other members elected will be received at an early date, it is stated.

—Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pitcher spent the past month party in New York City, where they combined pleasure with business.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Casanas, who have spent a most delightful summer at the beach villa purchased last season's end, will remain over until the late fall, enjoying the particular beauty of the Coast strand at this season.

—Mrs. Donald McDonald and young daughter, who have been spending the season with Mrs. McDonald's parents, returned to New Orleans during the week.

—Former Mayor and Mrs. Charles Traub, Sr., returned from New Orleans Tuesday night, in which city they have been at the bedside of son, Charles Jr., a patient at Baptist Hospital following an illness of pneumonia and desperately ill. However, the young man, accompanied by wife and baby and parents as well, plans to be able to move to his By St. Louis home Saturday, his condition showing such marked improvement.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fortune Jaubert

after spending the summer on Waveland beach, recently left by motor for New York City, accompanied by a young daughter and their son, Fortune.

—Cards received from the party tell of their delightful trip and of reaching New York, where they are combining pleasure with business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Briede

returned to New Orleans Tuesday

morning for the winter and have

closed their attractive home in Cole

man avenue, however, they plan

to visit for week-ends during the

winter season. They had as their

guests from time to time during the

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